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Many a woman is weak and sick, nervous and discouraged. She suffers from headache, backache and other ills. She wants to be well, but all she does is to shut her eyes and open her mouth and trust to luck for results. She "doctors" month after month, often year after year, in this same blind, hap-hazard fashion, and receives no permanent benefit. Women take Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription with their eyes open to the fact that it cures womanly ills. It cures irregularity. It dries debilitating drains. It heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness. There is no trusting to luck by those who use "Favorite Prescription."

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"LOVE LETTERS OF A BOSS"

A petition was filed in the District Court in Omaha, Neb., Saturday, in a sensational suit for \$35,000 damages, wherein ex-Pastmaster General Robert J. Wynne, now consul general to London; William Loeb, secretary to President Roosevelt, and J. Martin Miller, consul to Aix la Chapelle, in Rheinland Germany, are named as defendants, and Mac C. Wood is named as plaintiff. Miss Wood was formerly a clerk in the Postoffice Department at Washington, and is the young woman who recently won so much notoriety in connection with a love affair and a threatened breach of promise suit wherein Senator Thomas C. Platt, of New York, was the central and most conspicuous figure. Miss Wood was formerly a practicing attorney in Omaha, and she acts as her own attorney in this case.

In her petition Miss Wood alleges that the three distinguished defendants conspired to obtain possession of, and actually did obtain possession of, certain letters and manuscripts belonging to her which she was preparing to use in a book to be entitled "The Love Affairs of a Boss." The letters which she alleges the defendants obtained possession of were, she affirms, letters written to her by Senator Platt. She alleges that the letters and manuscripts were obtained from her by unfair means, and she asks that she be given judgment against the defendants in the sum of \$35,000.

The petition declares that the plaintiff had been engaged to marry an elderly member of the Senate (T. C. Platt), and after the cancellation of the engagement that for the purpose of trying to make an independent living in a literary field, and as compensation for the peculiar humiliations and persecutions she had been subject to she determined to utilize such unfortunate and disagreeable experiences and publish the said book containing verbatim paragraph after paragraph of the silly love expressions contained in said letters which were mixed with political animosities and news. Said manuscripts also being prepared with an actual account of the replies thereto as near as it was possible for this plaintiff to remember.

The bill then tells at length how Miller, a detective employed by the other defendants, by representing himself as an author and publisher, induced her to enter into a publication contract, and, after securing the manuscripts, persuaded her to go to New York, where under duress and by threats, she was forced to give up other letters she possessed. The bill also charges that the defendants caused charges to be circulated that she was about to sue Senator Platt; that the plaintiff never contemplated bringing any such action and never consulted with any attorneys in reference thereto.

King Edward in Paris.

King Edward arrived in Paris at 9:20 o'clock Saturday evening, and was met by British Ambassador Bertie, no French officials being present, in accordance with his majesty's wishes. He was driven to the Hotel Bristol. The crowd at the station shouted: "Long live King Edward!" King Edward's arrival for a three days' stay inaugurates the first of a series of brilliant events covering the next two months, which, through accident or design, promise to exert important influence in showing the world, and Germany in particular, France's strong position among the nations of Europe. These events, occurring simultaneously with the French, German and British negotiations at the Moroccan capital, are calculated to exert powerful influence in the determination of the Moroccan question. The stay of King Edward in Paris, although unofficial, is giving another opportunity for a demonstrative assertion of the Anglo-French understanding. The exchange of official visits between King Edward and President Loubet yesterday afternoon was marked with the utmost cordiality. All the leading diplomats in Paris were guests at President Loubet's dinner in honor of King Edward at the Palace of the Elisee.

Following soon after King Edward's visit comes that of King Alfonso, of Spain, who will remain in Paris six days. Elaborate fetes are now in preparation similar to those when Emperor Nicholas made his memorable visit to the French capital.

Wrecked Life of Unfrocked Priest.

A strange and pathetic romance has been brought to light in Paris by the discovery Friday night of an aged and miserably old man and woman, who were found asleep on a bench in the Boulevard Diderot. They were clasped in each other's arms, and looked very ill and emaciated. They were removed to the adjoining police station, where cordials were administered, and the couple revived. It was then ascertained that the man, whose name was Jean Lanfert, 68 years old, was an unfrocked priest. Thirty-eight years ago he had fallen deeply in love with a woman who came to him as a penitent. She was living apart from her husband, and the priest, in his infatuation, abandoned his sacred calling for her. A year later the woman left him, and the ex-priest fell upon evil times. Finally, he earned his living as a waiter, but he became ill, and after many vicissitudes he found himself home-

WORKING WOMEN

Their Hard Struggle Made Easier—Interesting Statements by a Young Lady in Boston and One in Nashville, Tenn.



All women work; some in their homes, some in church, and some in the whirl of society. And in stores, mills and shops tens of thousands are on the never-ending treadmill, earning their daily bread.

All are subject to the same physical laws; all suffer alike from the same physical disturbance, and the nature of their duties, in many cases, quickly drifts them into the horrors of all kinds of female complaints, ovarian troubles, ulceration, falling and displacements of the womb, leucorrhoea, or perhaps irregularity or suppression of "monthly periods," causing backache, nervousness, irritability and lassitude.

Women who stand on their feet all day are more susceptible to these troubles than others.

They especially require an invigorating, sustaining medicine which will strengthen the female organism and enable them to bear easily the fatigues of the day, to sleep well at night, and to rise refreshed and cheerful.

How distressing to see a woman struggling to earn a livelihood or perform her household duties when her back and head are aching, she is so tired she can hardly drag about or stand up, and every movement causes pain, the origin of which is due to some derangement of the female organism.

Miss F. Orser of 14 Warrenton Street, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Succeeds Where Others Fail.

less and a vagabond, picking up a few shillings now and then as a market porter.

As he sat on the bench on the Boulevard Diderot Friday night an old woman who had been trying to sell a few faded flowers came and sat next to him, and in her priest recognized the woman who had abandoned him many years ago. She also had suffered many reverses, which had removed the last traces of her beauty. Chance had brought her to the same bench as the ex-priest, and both suffering from the cold and hunger, they had sunk into sleep as they sat, clasped in each other's arms until discovered by the police.

Hot Weather Piles.

Persons afflicted with Piles should be careful at this season of the year. Hot weather and bad drinking water contribute to the conditions which make Piles more painful and dangerous. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve stops the pain, draws out the soreness and cures. Get the genuine, bearing the name of E. C. DeWitt & Co.

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Taking Desperate Chances.

It is true that many contract colds and recover from them without taking any precaution or treatment, and a knowledge of this fact leads others to take their chances instead of giving their colds the needed attention. It should be borne in mind that every cold weakens the lungs, lowers the vitality, makes the system less able to withstand each succeeding cold and paves the way for more serious diseases. Can you afford to take such desperate chances when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, famous for its cure of colds, can be had for a trifle? For sale by Gibson & Timman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ELK HORN COAL & COKE COMPANY

will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., WEDNESDAY, May 3d, at 12 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors, and for such business as may properly be presented at the meeting.

CHAS. D. HELLIER, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BIG SANDY COMPANY

will be held at the principal office of the company, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., WEDNESDAY, May 3d, at 12 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors, and for such business as may properly be presented at the meeting.

CHAS. E. HELLIER, Secretary.

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GRANT MANUFACTURING COMPANY

April 24, 1905.

The annual meeting of the GRANT MANUFACTURING COMPANY will be held at its office, No. 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., WEDNESDAY, May 3d, at 12 o'clock in the afternoon, for the election of directors and for such other business as may properly be presented at the meeting.

W. C. BEALL, Secretary.

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NOTICE.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the WESTERN ELECTRIC ALKALI COMPANY

will be held at the company's office, No. 216 King street, Alexandria, Va., on THURSDAY, the 11th day of May, 1905, at 11 o'clock a. m.

J. F. VAN NAME, Secretary.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the CEREAL SUGAR COMPANY

will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, at 2:30 p. m., on THURSDAY, May 11, 1905, for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

WILLIAM KER, Secretary and Treasurer.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders of the WASHINGTON, ARLINGTON AND FALLS CHURCH RAILWAY COMPANY

will be held at the office of the company, at Rosslyn, Va., on WEDNESDAY, May 3, 1905, at 12 o'clock noon.

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